

BEFORE THE
POSTAL RATE COMMISSION
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20268-0001

EXPERIMENTAL PERIODICALS
CO-PALLETIZATION DROPSHIP
DISCOUNTS, 2002

Docket No. MC2002-3

NOTICE OF THE UNITED STATES POSTAL SERVICE
OF DISTRIBUTION OF MODEL SPREADSHEET
FOR COLLECTING DATA
(November 8, 2002)

The United States Postal Service hereby provides notice that today it sent the attached spreadsheet by electronic mail to the service list, as well as to other potential users of the discounts proposed in this proceeding. The spreadsheet provides a form for the data that the Postal Service would need in order to provide the items suggested for collection in Question 1 of Chairman's Information Request No. 1.

The Postal Service requested in the electronic mail that all participants should let it know by November 15, 2002, whether they will be able to complete this form for co-palletized mailings. If participants can complete the form, the Postal Service would so indicate in an updated response to Question 1 of Information Request No. 1. Resolving this issue would allow the Postal Service to move forward in completing settlement of this proceeding.

Respectfully submitted,

UNITED STATES POSTAL SERVICE

By its attorney:

Brian M. Reimer

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that I have this day served the foregoing document upon all participants of record in this proceeding in accordance with section 12 of the Rules of Practice.

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November 8, 2002

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No. of New Titles in Run*	
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	Without Consolidation			With Consolidation			
	Sacked	Palletized	Total	Sacked	ADC Pallets	SCF Pallets	Total
No. of Containers							
Weight (lbs.)							
Addressed Pieces							

* Initially each participant (consolidator/printer) will be asked to provide a list of titles that are co-palletized & dropshipped. For each new run only the number of new titles (not previously co-palletized) will be reported.